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GEO. GRIMBLE, Manager, Hongkong.
Hongkong, April 21, 1906. 692

NOTICE.

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Mr. F. H. KIRCHHOFF has been
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Mr. F. NICOLAI is authorised to Sign
Per Procuration.
HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE,
Hongkong Office.
Hongkong, May 18, 1906. 1028

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H. T. CHUNYUT, Manager, only, on
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PURVEYOR TO HIS MAJESTY KING EDWARD.
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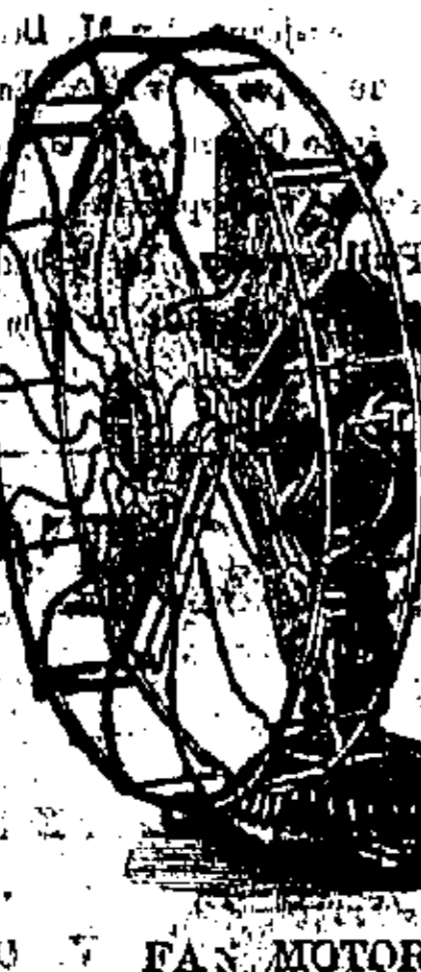
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No. 483 the EXCHANGE

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the 24th instant, VICTORIA DAY.

Hongkong, May 24, 1906.

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YIKO INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF

HONGKONG.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that

FIRE INSURANCE OFFICES will

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By Order,

A. R. LOWE,

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8.30 a.m. to 9.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes.

9.00 a.m. to 10.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes.

10.00 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes.

11.00 a.m. to 12.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

12.45 p.m. to 1.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

1.15 p.m. to 1.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

1.45 p.m. to 2.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

2.15 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

3.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

4.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

SUNDAYS.

8.00 a.m. to 9.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes.

9.00 a.m. to 10.30 a.m. Every 15 minutes.

10.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 10 minutes.

11.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

1.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

5.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

6.00 p.m. to 7.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

7.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

8.00 p.m. to 8.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

8.45 p.m. and 9 p.m. 8.45 p.m. to 11.15

p.m. every half hour.

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9.00 a.m. to 10.30 a.m. Every 15 minutes.

10.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 10 minutes.

11.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

1.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

5.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

6.00 p.m. to 7.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

7.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

8.00 p.m. to 8.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

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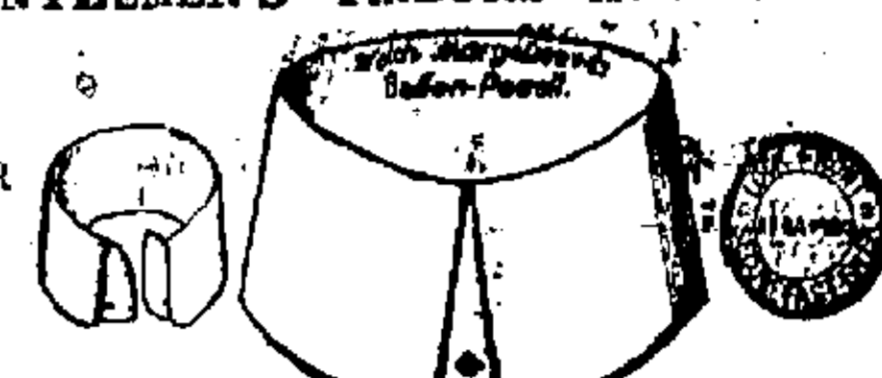
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EGYPTIAN CIGARETTE MANU-
FACTURERS themselves, that Cigarettes
imported from Egypt are made from
TURKISH TOBACCO, which is subject
to a heavy Import Duty in Egypt. Hong-
kong being a Free Port tobacco can be
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tageous to Smoke
ny Cigarettes.1.-Cheaper than my Cigarettes compar-
ed to imported cigarettes, owing to tobacco
being admitted duty-free into Hongkong,
and that you are buying direct from the
Manufacturer, doing away with middlemen's
profits.2.-Freshness of my Cigarettes, as they
are made daily for each day's consumption,
which makes it impossible to have an old
stock of Cigarettes, as is very likely with
imported Cigarettes.The following is a list of my Cigarettes
made from the Best Turkish Tobacco at
from 40% to 60% cheaper than imported
cigarettes of equal quality.

NAME	SIZE	PRICE PER 100
Great Britain.....largest	50	\$4.50
Venus.....large	50 & 100	3.00
Hongkong Club.....(cork tipped), large	50 & 100	3.00
Admiral.....medium	100	2.20
Princess, gold tipped (ladies), small	100	2.00
Flor de Oriente, white tubes (ladies), small	100	2.00
Military (gold tipped).....medium	100	2.50
Germania.....medium	100	1.80
Paris.....small	100	1.50

The Pink Train.....medium 100 1.50

China (gold
tipped).....medium 100 1.20

Lusitania.....medium 100 1.00

We also make cheap cigarettes of second-
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**ANTISEPTIC
BLOC.**NO more PIMPLES or IRRITATION
after SHAVING, this preparation will be
found very useful for Gentlemen who
shave themselves.SUBSCRIPTION FOR SHAVING, etc.,
TAKEN BY THE MONTH.ALL KINDS OF
HAIR WORK DONE.

Hongkong, April 25, 1906.



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PRICES.

From this date the Prices of our Popular

Brands of SCOTCH WHISKIES will be

as under:—

Per Case of 1 Doz.

A.—Thorne's Blend...\$11.00

B.—Glenorchy, a fine

'Soda' Whisky...11.40

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Whisky)...12.50

D.—H.K.D. Blend of

the Finest Old Malt

Scotch Whiskies...14.00

E.—BLEND

The Popular Whisky

in the Far East...15.00

The above prices are strictly net. The

discount of FIVE PER CENT previously

allowed on our Whiskies ceases from this

date.

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Hongkong, May 17, 1906.

BIRTHS.

SUTTER.—On May 18, 1906, at the
Berlin Hotel, the wife of Mr SUTTER, of a
Son.GOLDSTEIN.—On May 14, 1906, at the
Hotel Shanghai, the wife of Mr MANO
GOLDSTEIN, of a Daughter.BOYES.—On May 15, 1906, at 9, Han-
kow Road Shanghai, the wife of G. M.
BOYES, of a Daughter.

MARRIAGE.

ANDING-TOOL.—On May 18, 1906, at
11 B.M. Consulate General, Shanghai,
before Sir William Watson, K.C.M.G.,
and at St. Joseph's Church, by the Rev.
M. E. Coleman, JAMES HANDELL ANDING,
old at son of late upgon Anding, to
MARY AUGUSTA, daughter of the late Major
Twiss, Bombay Army.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Miscellaneous.

Exchange Banks Close.
Insurance Offices Close.
Goods per Benlomon undelivered after
this date subject to rent.

General Memoranda.

FRIDAY, May 25—
2.30 p.m.—Auction of Old Pekin Curios,
at Mr F. Kene's Sales Rooms.SATURDAY, May 26—
2.30 p.m.—Auction of Furniture, etc., at
Mr H. Roper's Residence, No. 6,
Granville Road, Kowloon.Goods per Ames undelivered after
this date subject to rent.MONDAY, May 28—
11 a.m.—Auction of Government Stores,
at Army Ordnance Stores, Queen's
Road, East.Noon—Auction of Leasehold Property,
at Messrs Hughes & Hough's Sales
Rooms.Goods per Banca not cleared at 4 p.m.
on this date subject to rent.TUESDAY, May 29—
2.30 p.m.—Auction of Household Furni-
ture, at No. 16, Morrison Hill Gap.WEDNESDAY, May 30—
12.15 p.m.—Meeting of 'Star' Ferry
Co., Ltd., at City Hall.5.15 p.m.—Meeting of V.R.C. at Kow-
loon.Goods per Nippon undelivered after this
date will be landed.MONDAY, June 11—
3 p.m.—Auction of Leasehold Property,
at Messrs Hughes & Hough's Sales
Rooms.THURSDAY, June 14—
11 a.m.—Auction of Complete Cement
Factory, at Hongkong and Kowloon
Wharf & Godown Co.'s Premises,
Kowloon.**The China Mail.**

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MAY 23, 1906.

RECUOPERATIVE POWERS OF
AUSTRALIA.One of the most singular of phenomena
is the extraordinary powers of recupera-
tion by the demonstration of which
Australia from time to time astonishes
the world. It was only a little over 100
years ago that colonisation began in the
island continent. Since then the history
of the country has practically been a
chronicle of successive droughts, al-
ternated by brief seasons when
everything thrived and the earth
yielded up the utmost of the wealth
that steady tillage could win from
her breast. During the drought spells
Australia appeared, to the casual
visitor who had no previous experience
to guide him, as a land lying under a
curse. All vegetation vanishes at these
periods and the great sheep runs become
deserts of sand upon which bleach the
bones of hundreds of thousands of sheep.
Rivers and watercourses run dry, and on
the ridges even the gum trees, the sturdy
eucalypti, perhaps the hardiest trees in
the world, wilt and wither to death
beneath the scourge of the hot dry blasts
from the barren interior. Small wonder
is it that those who do not know the
whimsical ways of the strange southern
continent deem that desolation has
there found a permanent abiding
place and that never again will the
"bushland brighten with bursting
buds" and the bosom of the brown
earth wear once more its garb of green.
But Australia is the land of impossible
achievements. A couple of good seasons
and the crowlike desert is unrecognis-
able. The natural richness of the
ground is such that two or three down-
pours of rain have the effect of promoting
growth to an extent scarcely conceivable
to residents in less favoured places.
In a sense Australia is like a speculator.
She is always alternating between the
condition of being embarrassingly pros-
perous or the unhappy state of wonder-
ing how she is going to scrape up
enough to pay interest on her loans.
For many years past she has been
afflicted by one of the worst droughts
ever experienced. The losses in stock
were enormous and it is said that manychildren of school age had never seen
rain. Now, according to the latest re-
ports, she is experiencing unparalleled
prosperity and the people are, according
to their wont, spending their money
lavishly in amusements. That seems to
be the conspicuous weakness in the
Argentine character. There is no idea
of making provision for the future. If
a small percentage of the money which
is now being squandered was devoted to
making provision for future bad times
they could be met when they come, as
they surely will, with the greater con-
fidence. Hitherto the Governments of the
various states have shown little or no
inclination to attempt to devise some
scheme of water conservation and
irrigation which would relieve the pres-
sure during the lean years. These
politicians, they can hardly be called
statesmen, have as a rule been content
to adopt such legislation as would keep
them in office and have never been
sufficiently unselfish to resolutely
grapple with a problem which will take
years to solve and the solution of
which will only receive due credit
probably years after the solver is
dead. The Australian politician, in the
American colloquial, "has no nose
for posterity." Transient popularity
among those who will assist him to fend
off the Opposition is all he cares for.
In the absence of a great mountain
range in the centre of the country Aus-
tralia must continue to be subject to
droughts. But she has a few rivers
(very few unfortunately) of some size
and during wet seasons billions of
gallons of water run to waste through
these channels. To imprison this water
and keep it as a stand-by against the
dry times would be a work requiring a
colossal expenditure of money, more
particularly in view of the labour
domination in Australia. If the silly
prejudice against coloured labour could
be overcome it would be easily possible
to construct works which would conserve
a vast proportion of the precious water
which now empties itself uselessly into
the sea. At the present time some
tentative effort to conserve the waters of
the Murray, which flows through New
South Wales, Victoria and South Aus-
tralia, is likely to be made by the three
Governments concerned. Although this
is a comparatively small matter, in that
the area of country to be served is in-
considerable, it is to be hoped that the
work is crowned with success. Such
an issue would encourage the laggard
Governments to grapple the problem of
putting into effect some comprehensive
scheme of irrigating the interior which,
if accomplished, would do more than
anything else towards making Australia
permanently prosperous.As was to be expected the files from
America which arrived last evening
were filled with the accounts of the
San Francisco disaster. Whole pages
of many of the great papers were de-
voted to the details of the earthquake
and the terrible fire which intensified
its horror. Readers of the CHINA
MAIL were, however, supplied with most
complete accounts of the catastrophe
some days since, when the Australian
papers came to hand. In a sense in-
deed the Australian reports were better
than the fuller descriptions which fill
the exchanges which arrived last night.
The news was treated with the better
idea of perspective which remoteness
gave, and, while nothing of wide in-
terest was left unrecorded, much that
was of but local importance was dis-
regarded. One of the most terrible
features of the disaster appears to
have been the widespread looting.
The vigour and daring with which the
unprincipled men who sought to turn
the general confusion to their own ac-
count by pillooting valuables had the
effect of enraging the militia to such
an extent that several tragic occur-
rences resulted from their desire to
play the looters. Thus a bank clerk
who, under instructions from the
management, was searching for some
papers amid the ruins of the bank, was
shot by one of the soldiers who took him
for a looter. Such was the tension upon
the men's nerves that another man
was shot for washing his hands indrinking water which had been
brought along distance. An inevitable
result of the large number of deaths
was the fear that a pestilence would
break out unless the bodies were speed-
ily disposed of. However the civic
and state authorities took this matter
in hand and funerals were conducted
with a promptitude which obviated
any danger from the source.
Elsewhere we give some further details
of interest in regard to the earthquake
supplied by our special correspondent
in San Francisco.

LOCAL AND COAST NEWS.

Chefoo has its first electric lights.

Plague has broken out in Formosa.

There is renewed agitation at Tientsin
for a British post office.A branch of the Sino-Belgian Bank
has been opened at Tientsin.The Siamese Prince Naironkhaji has
been royally entertained in Japan.Work on the Pekin-Kaiwan railway is
being pushed with great rapidity.A Secretary of the German Legation
is on a mission of investigation in Fukien
province.The Peking Government has cabled to
H. K. Tuen Fang and H. E. Tai Rung-chi
to visit Holland.H. Muller, an unemployed fireman, was
convicted at the Magistracy, this morning,
of having stowed away from Manila to
Hongkong by the steamer "Rubi." He
was fined \$25 with the alternative of six
weeks' gaol.The General Commercial Guild of
Changsha propose that as soon as 1,000,000
Tls. have been subscribed they will begin
to build the section of the Canton-Hankow
railway from Changsha to Sianan, a dis-
tance of 90 li.Judgment has been delivered at Tien-
tsin in the suit for \$300 salary and \$1,000
damages for wrongful dismissal brought by
Mr W. R. Warwick against the China
Times, Ltd.; plaintiff was awarded \$250
and no order made as to costs.A coolie was sentenced to fourteen
days' imprisonment, at the Magistracy,
this morning, for stealing seven sample bot-
tles of wine and liquors the property of
Messrs H. Price and Co. Three bottles
were recovered and to having stolen that
number he pleaded guilty.An officer of the German Legation
Guard forced his way through the line of
police at Tientsin in order to see the Em-
peror on his way to the Temple of Heaven,
and when stopped by a constable cut him
with his sword; the incident is the subject
of diplomatic representations.The Chinese boy who was recently
alleged to have been assaulted by an Indian
Sergeant is now fairly on the road to re-
covery. The boy's spleen was ruptured,
and, we understand, has been successfully
removed. The Sergeant has, however,
passed before a higher authority, having
died in the hospital yesterday from
pneumonia.

Band at Kowloon Hotel.

On Sunday evening next the Austrian
Band will play musical selections at the
Kowloon Hotel, and will play each Sunday
evening until further notice.

Chinese "Face."

Of fifty students who were sent to
Peking from the Shansi University for
ordination, only a small number
proved themselves up to the required
standard, but "on account of the Shansi
University being founded and conducted
by foreigners, it was proposed to confer
the Chujun degree on all of them in order
to give 'face' to their institution."

Shantung-Chinkiang Railway.

The British Charge d'Affaires at Pek-
ing has informed the Waiwupai that British
engineers are coming to China to begin the
survey of the railway from Shantung to
Chinkiang, and that Commissioner Lock-
hart of Weihaiwei has been appointed to
proceed to Chinkiang to arrange with the
Shantung Governor regarding the construc-
tion of the line.

Band at King Edward Hotel.

By kind permission of Lieut. Col.
Aikman and Captain the Band of the 11th
Infantry will play the following programme
of music at the above Hotel, during
dinner, on Thursday, the 24th May (weather
permitting).
March.....The Queen's Guard.....William
Overture.....Light Cavalry.....Suppe
Waltz.....Sobre las Olas.....Rossini
Selection.....The Orchid.....Monckton
Cantata.....Ellen Alannah.....Thomas
Patrol.....The Phantom Brigade.....Myddleton

LAME BACK.

THIS ailment is usually caused by
irregularities of the muscles and may
be cured by applying Chamberlain's Pain
Balm two or three times a day and rubbing
the parts vigorously at each application.
If this does not afford relief bind on a piece
of flannel slightly dampened with Pain
Balm, and quick relief is almost sure to
follow. For sale by all chemists and drug
stores.

LOCAL AND COAST NEWS.

To-morrow being a public holiday the
CHINA MAIL will be issued about mid-day
instead of at the usual hour.The Peking authorities, it is stated,
are going to reorganise some of the Admi-
nistrative Departments.The repairs of the battleship "Suwo,"
late "Pobeda," have been completed, and
she left Nagasaki on May 7.The arrest of the man Liu, who is
accused of having assisted in the murder of
the late magistrate Chiang, is contemplated.In view of German activity in railway
and mining matters in Shantung two offi-
cials have been sent there to make investi-
gations and keep the Shantung informed.Lieutenant N. C. S. Simson, three
N.C.O.s, one Native Sergeant, H. K. S. B.
P.A., left per s.s. "Catherine Apar" on
the 22nd instant for Calcutta, on recruit-
ing duty.On the selection of Sir Robert Hart,
Mr. Oliver, Commissioner of Customs at
Nanking, has been deputed by the Chinese
Government to make the arrangements for
a foreign Settlement at Mukden.The issue of the war commemorative
picture post cards has caused the Japanese
authorities some anxiety. The military have
had to assist the police at issuing office,
and disturbances have occurred.The British steamer "Satsuma" colli-
ded with the Japanese schooner "Eiyaku
Maru" off Oshima on May 3 during a dense
mist. The "Satsuma" rescued the crew
from the schooner, which was left in a
sinking condition.The Japanese Tobacco Monopoly
Bureau is making investigations with a
view to largely increasing the production of
cigarettes in order to successfully compete
with the English and American cigarettes
in China and Corea.A memorial has been presented to the
Throne by the Board of Education, recom-
mending the sending to Japan of all the
newly-appointed Superintendents of Edu-
cation for three months' study, prior to
taking up the appointments.

Father and Son.

A boy named A. K. Dalbasha was
charged, at the Magistracy, this morning,
with having stolen jewellery valued at
\$320 from his father. When the case was
called the latter asked permission to with-
draw the charge and as the police raised no
objection this was agreed to. The father,
however, was required to promise that he
would chastise his son, and on this under-
standing the boy was bound over in the
sum of \$100 to come up for judgment when
called upon.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The death is announced of Mrs Everett,
wife of Capt. Everett, at Tientsin.Major-General and Mrs Ventris had a
most cordial send-off at the Tientsin rail-
way station recently.The new Bishop of Fukien, the Rt. Rev.
H. McCarty-Eyre Price, M.A., arrived at
Fochow by the s.s. Hanching on May 3.
Bishop Price was consecrated by the
Archbishop of Canterbury in Westminster
Abbey on the 2nd February.Mr J. C. Hall, British Consul-General
at Yokohama, who recently left for home
on a holiday, was in Kobe the recipient
of a handsome gift from the Chinese residents
of that port. The gift was a mark of
appreciation of Mr. Hall's services to the
Chinese residents during his term of office
as British Consul at Kobe.The Commissioner of Weihaiwei, Mr J.
H. Stewart Lockhart arrived at Tientsin
on May 16 day and was guest of Governor
van Semmen. There was a dinner in his
honour at the Governor's house. Mr
Lockhart intends to proceed as soon as
possible to Chinkiang, where he is to
negotiate with Governor Yang Shiching
about different questions.In the Supreme Court this morning
before His Lordship the Chief Justice (Sir
Francis Pigott) the Hon. Mr. H. E.
Pollock moved that Mr Andrew Gilmore
Jackson be appointed, admitted and en-
rolled as a solicitor of the Honourable
Court of Hongkong. Mr Jackson was
educated in St. Andrew's College, Dublin,
and was afterwards attached to a firm of
solicitors in Ireland. On December 24,
1903, he was admitted as a solicitor to the
Supreme Court of Ireland. Mr Pollock
pointed out that Mr Jackson was a nephew
of Sir Thomas Jackson, who had a long and
distinguished career in this Colony. The
Chief Justice expressed pleasure in grant-
ing Mr Pollock's motion. He thought
that in the present case the words were
more than formal on account of the
honoured name which Mr Jackson bore,
which he was sure would guide him in his
profession. Mr Jackson joins the firm of
Messrs Johnson, Stokes and Master.

A GOOD SUGGESTION.

MR C. B. Wainwright of Lemon City,
Calif., U.S.A., has written the manu-
script of a book entitled "Chamberlain's
Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in
cases of pains in the stomach, colic and
cholera morbus by taking it in water as
hot as can be drunk. That when taken in
this way the effect is double in rapidity."
It seems to get at the right spot instantly,
he says. For sale by all chemists and
drug stores.

NEW AMERICAN TORPEDO.

A Formidable Weapon.

The new American 21-in. torpedo, which is to be carried in all the latest American ships, appears to be a most formidable weapon, if the descriptions of it in the American technical press are justified by the facts. It is stated to have a range of 4,000 yards and a speed of 30 to 40 knots. It is turbine-propelled, but it does not carry a large explosive charge than the ordinary type of 18-in. torpedo in use in most navies.

It is, the way, desirable to increase the explosive power of the British torpedo up to the standard attained in the later German types, which carry a heavier charge of explosive than is employed in most navies. The charge in the 18-in. Whitehead torpedo is 584 lb. of gunpowder, while the most powerful British 18-in. Whitehead only carries 199 lb., and the 14-in. supplied to most of our antiquated torpedo-boats, only 80 to 70 lb. Experience in the Far East suggests that the most powerful torpedo will be needed to put a battleship thoroughly out of action. In the Russian navy there is a torpedo carrying a 300 lb. charge, but it is doubtful whether it is in general use. The Japanese torpedo employed in the late war carried a charge of 240 lb. Navy League Journal.

To-day's Advertisements

THE DAIRY FARM COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE PRIME OF BEST QUALITY AUSTRALIAN BUTTER IS REDUCED TO 65 CENTS PER LB. FROM 70 CENTS PER LB. HONGKONG, MAY 23, 1906. 1064

PUBLIC AUCTION

THE Undersigned have received instructions from MESSRS. BROWN & KEMPSON to sell by Public Auction,

SATURDAY,

the 26th May, 1906, at 12 Noon, at KOWLOON MARINE LOTS Nos. 48 & 49.

85 TONS KARATZU UNSCREENED COAL, ex s.s. *Kochiwa Maru*, (more or less damaged by Sea Water). Terms—As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers. Hongkong, May 23, 1906. 1065

PUBLIC AUCTION

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell for Account of H. ROYCE, Esq., at his Residence, No. 6, GRANVILLE ROAD, KOWLOON,

SATURDAY,

the 26th May, 1906, at 2.30 p.m., comprising: IRON BEDSTEAD, WARD ROBE with Dressing Glass, CHAIRS, TABLES, WASHING STAND, SIBERIAN, HAYSTAND, SOFA, CHAIRS, DINING TABLE, COOKING STOVE, FURNACE, CUPBOARD, BAMBOO BLINDS, GLASSWARE, CROCKERY, &c., &c.

Catalogues will be issued. On View from Friday, 26th May. Terms—As usual. F. KIRNE, Auctioneer. Hongkong, May 23, 1906. 1061

PUBLIC AUCTION

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell for account of the Comptroller at their Residence, No. 16, MARSHALL HILL GARDEN,

TUESDAY,

the 28th May, 1906, at 2.30 p.m., VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

comprising: BEDSTEAD, SOFA, CHAIRS, TABLES, PICTURES, DRESSING TABLES, COFFIN PRESS and MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES. On view from Monday, 28th May. F. KIRNE, Auctioneer. Hongkong, May 23, 1906. 1063

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE, PUBLIC AUCTION.

MESSRS. HUGHES & HOUGH have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,

MONDAY,

the 11th day of June, 1906, at 3 p.m., at their SALES ROOMS No. 8, DES VOGES ROAD, Central.

The following VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY Situate at Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, viz:—

All those Pieces or Pieces of Ground situate at Victoria aforesaid, registered in the Land Office respectively as THE REMAINING PORTION OF SECTION 4 OF INLAND LOT No. 508 and THE REMAINING PORTION OF INLAND LOT No. 509 together with the messuage known as Nos. 64, 66, 68, 69 and 71, ST. JOHN'S LANE, and Nos. 4, 6, 8, 10 and 12, WANDER ROAD, Area 3894 Square feet or thereabouts. Term 999 years.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to Messrs. HUGHES & HOUGH, Solicitors for the Mortgagee, or to Messrs. HUGHES & HOUGH, Government Auctioneers. Hongkong, May 23, 1906. 1067

POSTPONEMENT.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW.

THE Company's Steamship *HAIMUN*, Captain A. J. Rossow, will be despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 26th May, at 11 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS, LARRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, May 23, 1906. 1059

To-day's Advertisements

THE HONGKONG FROZEN FOOD SUPPLY.

CORNER BEEF, Rump, .30 cents per lb.
do. Brisket, .20 "
do. Flank, .15 "

CORNER PIG'S HEADS, .50 cent each.

PURE AUSTRALIAN GARDEN HONEY.

in 1 lb. Glass Jars 60 cents per jar.
Hongkong, May 23, 1906. 1060

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FUOCHOW.

THE Company's Steamship *HAIMUN*, Captain J. S. Rossow, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 27th May, at 11 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS, LARRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, May 23, 1906. 1068

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM TRIESTE, PORT SAID, SUEZ, ADEN, KARACHI, BOMBAY, COLOMBO, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Steamship *Nippon*, having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN CO., LIMITED, whose delivery may be obtained.

This Vessel brings cargo from Yokohama ex s.s. *Gaika*, transhipped at Trieste.

From Trieste ex s.s. *Helios*, transhipped at Trieste.

From Alexandria ex s.s. *June*, transhipped at Port Said.

Optional Cargo will be discharged here unless notice to the contrary be given immediately.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon, on the 3rd May, 1906, if they will not be recognized.

No Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 30th May, will be subject to rent. Rule of Lading will be counter-signed by SANDER, WIELER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, May 23, 1906. 1066

Not Responsible for Debts

EITHER the Captain, the Agents, or the Consignees will be Responsible for any Debt or Debts contracted by the Crew during the Voyage.

WASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, can be had at this Office, Price, 50 CENTS, CHINA MAIL OFFICE, 5, WYNDHAM STREET.

EXCHANGE, HONGKONG, MAY 23, 1906.

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